

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
DOCKET NO. 1998-375-C - ORDER NO. 2004-588  
DECEMBER 1, 2004

IN RE:	Application of Buyers United International,	)	ORDER APPROVING
	Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience	)	CHANGE OF COMPANY
	and Necessity to Provide Intrastate Resold	)	NAME AND AMENDING
	Telecommunications Services and for	)	CERTIFICATE
	Alternative Regulation of its Business Service	)	
	Offerings.	)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Buyers United, Inc. d/b/a buyersonline, d/b/a United Carrier Networks (Buyers or the Company) to amend its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity by a change in the Company's name. By its request, Buyers advises the Commission that Buyers seeks approval of a change of the Company's name from Buyers United, Inc. d/b/a buyersonline, d/b/a United Carrier Networks to UCN, Inc.

A review of the docket file reveals that Buyers was granted authority to operate as a reseller of interexchange telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina by Order No. 1999-2, dated January 4, 1999, issued in the name of Buyers United International, Inc. Although the record before the Commission does not reflect a prior change in the Company's name, through a mechanism that is indeterminable to the Commission, Buyers United International, Inc. became Buyers United, Inc. By Order No. 2003-472, dated July 24, 2003, the Commission approved a modification of the

Company's name by the addition of "doing business as" (d/b/a) names. Order No. 2003-472 amended the Company's name to its present name of Buyers United, Inc. d/b/a buyersonline, d/b/a United Carrier Networks.

Pursuant to the instructions of the Commission's Executive Director, Buyers published a Notice of Filing in newspapers of general circulation in the Company's service area. The Company filed affidavits showing that it had complied with the instructions of the Commission's Executive Director. No Protests or Petitions to Intervene were filed in this matter.

By letter of the Company's regulatory counsel dated September 2, 2004, Buyers notifies and requests approval of the Company's name change to UNC, Inc. With the Company's request, Buyers filed a copy of the Company's Application for an Amended Certificate of Authority by a Foreign Corporation to Transact Business in South Carolina (filed with the South Carolina Secretary of State August 10, 2004) reflecting the Company's name change from Buyers to UCN, Inc. According to Buyers, the Company's name change will not in any way inconvenience or cause harm to Buyers' customers, and South Carolina customers will continue to be provided high-quality, affordable telecommunications services by the Company under the name of UCN, Inc. Buyers adds that the Company will file a new tariff under UCN, Inc. upon the Commission's approval of the name change.

At its regularly scheduled meeting on November 18, 2004, the Commission reviewed the case before it, and after due consideration, the Commission concluded that

the request of Buyers for approval of the change of the Company's name should be granted.

The Commission's records will hereby be amended to reflect the following change of the name of the Company:

FROM: Buyers United, Inc. d/b/a buyersonline, d/b/a United Carrier Networks

TO: UCN, Inc.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. Buyers' request for approval of the change of the Company's name from Buyers United, Inc. d/b/a buyersonline, d/b/a United Carrier Networks to UCN, Inc. is approved.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

/s/  
Randy Mitchell, Chairman

ATTEST:

/s/  
G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice Chairman

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